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Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Hanover Raceway					
Date	Saturday, August 17, 2024			Post Time	13:30	
Weather	23 degrees, rain, tornado warning			Wind: S13km/hr		
Track Condition	R1-R6 Sloppy (3), R7-R10 Good (2)					
Number of Races	10	Qualifying races	1	Total Entries	71	
Mutual Handle	\$46,268					
Official Veterinarian Dr. Abigail Stovman						

Senior Judge	Associate Judge	Associate Judge
Kelly Counsell	Larry Hughes	

Report on day's events:

(Accidents, claims, fines and/or suspensions, objections and/or disqualifications, refunds and any other pertinent incidents)

Office:

Confirmed the eligibility of Poplar Artie in R9. The Race Office in Charlottetown, PE confirmed that the horse's suspension ended in July, and removed the horse from the Standardbred Canada Judge's List.

After speaking with the Racing Secretary and confirming a race office error, driver Trevor Henry was excused from his drives in R7, R8 and R9. Lormer McClure and Pam Forgie were also excused from one drive each. The change of Tyler Jones to Bruce Richardson in R9 was an early driver change.

Races:

R1 – All clear. Winner #2 Blossom Onthebeach requires a negative Coggins test before her next start. Trainer Cameron McQueen was notified.

R2 – Balanced Image Elimination – Ontario Sired 2yo Trotters. INQUIRY – Reviewed multiple breaks in stride starting from the finish line back. #2 Alarming (Bob McClure, 4th placed 7th) made an extended break (>25 strides) going into the first turn and was placed last as per rule 22.27.02.

https://youtu.be/I9eMh2Ao9co

R3 – INQUIRY - #1 Stay Lucky (Bob McClure) suffered broken equipment (hopple) before the start and was a pari-mutuel refund of \$1,081. #1 pulled up and did not finish. Reviewed #2 Dirty Lil Piglet in the final turn where the horse gets "steppy" but does not break stride. #6 Marzannk Hanover (5th) requires a negative Coggins test before her next start. Trainer Kyle Bossence was notified.

https://youtu.be/nODIWqBfi8q

R4 - Balanced Image Elimination – Ontario Sired 2yo Trotters. INQUIRY – Reviewed the break in stride of #5 Macthenight (Scott Young, 3rd) before the ½ mile. No violations.

https://youtu.be/hl57609LNXc

R5 – All clear.

R6 - Balanced Image Elimination – Ontario Sired 2yo Trotters. Starting from the finish line back we reviewed multiple breaks in stride on #1 TH Walker (Bruce Richardson, 7th), #2 Lil Sweet (Travis Henry, 6th) and #3 Tellers Choice (Tyler Jones, 5th). All horses received a fair start, and no placings required.

R7 – All clear. #1 Dusty Lane Morgan (6th) requires a negative Coggins test before his next race. Trainer Cameron McQueen was notified. The Balanced Image Final draw was completed in front of the grandstand:

- 1- Sound N Vision
- 2- Captain Suzuki
- 3- The Governor
- 4- First Class Rule
- 5- Shutter Green
- 6- LMC Little Chips
- 7- TH Emmett
- 8- Macthenight

AE1 - Marie H

AE2 - Nickle and Dime

R8 – All clear.

R9 – Reviewed the breaks in stride of #3 Had Me Whiskey (Bruce Richardson, 5th) before the $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ mile. No violations. #2 The Magic Within finished in 2:11.1. Trainer Ondrej Gois was notified.

R10 – All clear.

Claims: None